

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1-16. (Canceled)

17. (Currently Amended) A plastic molding comprising:

at least one transfer surface, the transfer surface being an optical surface; and
a plurality of imperfect transfer portions each having a concave or convex shape,
wherein at least one of the imperfect transfer portions is located in at least one
prescribed portion of the plastic molding so as to release a residual resin-pressure and an
inward deformation of the plastic molding, and

wherein all of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions are formed so as to have a
contour disposed apart from an edge of the transfer surface,

wherein a reference portion for setting the plastic molding is provided on a side
surface adjacent to the at least one transfer surface, and

wherein two imperfect transfer portions of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions
are provided on the same side surface as the reference portion.

18. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein at
least one of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions is formed in a portion other than the at
least one transfer surface.

19. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 18, wherein at
least one of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions is formed in an adjacent surface of the
at least one transfer surface.

20. (Canceled)

21. (Currently Amended) A plastic molding comprising:

a transfer surface;

at least one imperfect transfer portion having a concave or convex shape, wherein the imperfect transfer portion is located in at least one prescribed portion of the plastic molding so as to release a residual resin-pressure and an inward deformation of the plastic molding, the imperfect transfer portion is formed in a portion other than the transfer surface, and the imperfect transfer portion is formed so as to have a contour disposed apart from an edge of the transfer surface; and

a second transfer surface, wherein the imperfect transfer portion is formed in a portion between the transfer surface and the second transfer surface so as to have a contour disposed apart from edges of both the transfer surface and the second transfer surface,

wherein the transfer surface is not in contact with any imperfect transfer portions,

wherein a reference portion for setting the plastic molding is provided on a side surface adjacent to the transfer surface, and

wherein two imperfect transfer portions are provided on the same side surface as the reference portion.

22. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein at least one of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions is formed in a portion having a thickness less than a maximum thickness of the plastic molding.

23. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein the plurality of imperfect transfer portions comprises two imperfect transfer portions, wherein

both imperfect transfer portions are formed in a same surface other than the transfer surface.

24. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein the plastic molding is an optical element.

25-29. (Canceled)

30. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, further comprising a second transfer surface provided opposite to the at least one transfer surface, wherein the at least one transfer surface is curved, and wherein the second transfer surface is flat.

31. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein the plastic molding has a non-uniform thickness along a length thereof.

32. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 17, wherein at least one of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions has a convex shape.

33. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 21, wherein the second transfer surface is provided opposite to the transfer surface, wherein the transfer surface is curved, and wherein the second transfer surface is flat.

34. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 21, wherein the plastic molding has a non-uniform thickness along a length thereof.

35. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 21, wherein the at least one imperfect transfer portion has a convex shape.

36. (Currently Amended) A plastic molding comprising:

at least one transfer surface, the transfer surface being an optical surface; and
a plurality of imperfect transfer portions each having a concave or convex shape,
wherein at least one of the imperfect transfer portions is located in at least one
prescribed portion of the plastic molding so as to release a residual resin-pressure and an
inward deformation of the plastic molding,

wherein at least one of the plurality of imperfect transfer portions is formed so as to
have a contour disposed apart from an edge of the transfer surface,

wherein a reference portion for setting the plastic molding is provided on a side
surface adjacent to the at least one transfer surface, and

wherein a pair of imperfect transfer portions are provided on the same side surface on
~~opposite sides of~~ as the reference portion.

37. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 36, wherein the
pair of imperfect transfer portions has convex shapes.

38. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 36, wherein the
pair of imperfect transfer portions has concave shapes.

39. (Currently Amended) A plastic molding comprising:

a transfer surface;

at least one imperfect transfer portion having a concave or convex shape, wherein the
imperfect transfer portion is located in at least one prescribed portion of the plastic molding
so as to release a residual resin-pressure and an inward deformation of the plastic molding,
the imperfect transfer portion is formed in a portion other than the transfer surface, and the

imperfect transfer portion is formed so as to have a contour disposed apart from an edge of the transfer surface; and

a second transfer surface, wherein the imperfect transfer portion is formed in a portion between the transfer surface and the second transfer surface so as to have a contour disposed apart from edges of both the transfer surface and the second transfer surface,

wherein a reference portion for setting the plastic molding is provided on a side surface adjacent to the transfer surface, and

wherein a pair of imperfect transfer portions are provided on the same side surface on ~~opposite sides of~~ as the reference portion.

40. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 39, wherein the pair of (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 39, wherein the pair of imperfect transfer portions has concave shapes.

41. (Previously Presented) The plastic molding according to claim 39, wherein the pair of imperfect transfer portions has concave shapes.